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Hansford Happenings

Hansford County Library Cookbooks

The Hansford County Library cookbooks have been published. The title is "Library Vittles". The cost is \$10.00, they will be on sale at the Library, the Chamber of Commerce, Five Star Equipment, Sandy's Beauty Salon, and at home football games.

Museum Has Books For Sale

BOOKS! BOOKS! BOOKS! We have good news! Dotty Jones found sixty copies of her book *A Search for Opportunity, A History of Hansford County*. It was copyrighted in 1965. It is a very good account of the early settlers of Hansford County. Dotty has graciously agreed to sell them to the Museum for \$15.00. This is great, as several people have wanted one. So if you're one of those people, now is your chance.

GED Classes

If you are interested in taking a GED class, please contact Cindy Blackman at 659-3233.

Food Drive

Our local Food Bank is low on food. There will be a Food Drive on November 20, 1996 at our Post Office. Please help!

A Texas Thanksgiving

Gruver Federated Music Club's annual Stew and Cornbread dinner will be November 26, from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Admission will be \$5.00. Pie Kitchen is \$1.00. Several artists will be showing.

Spearman's "Christmas Extravaganza"

The O'Loughlin Center will host a "Christmas Extravaganza" on November 23rd and 24th. This event will be a Christmas showing for Spearman businesses. There will be special promotions, demonstrations, food concessions, and drawings held every hour for door prizes. Special music will be provided throughout the weekend by the Spearman ISD choirs and other community groups. Santa Claus will also make several appearances. The hours for the show are Saturday, November 23rd from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., and Sunday, November 24th from 12:30 to 4:00 p.m. A few booth spaces are still available. Anyone wishing to boost their Christmas sales is invited to participate. Call 659-3030 for more information.

Gladiola Flower Club Home Tours

The Annual Home Tour, Gladiola Flower Club, will be December 8th between 1:30 - 4:30 p.m. Cost of tickets will be \$5.00. Homes that will be toured are: Mr. and Mrs. Dan Carter - 621 S. Endicott; Mr. and Mrs. Verlan Winegarner - 321 S. Barkley; Mr. and Mrs. Sid Sawyer - 504 S. Haney; Mr. and Mrs. Pat Jackson - 1105 Linn Dr.

Benefit Dinner For Joe Olivarez

A benefit dinner for Joe Olivarez to help raise money for his cancer medication. The dinner will be held Saturday, November 16th from 6:00-8:00 p.m. in the Waka school building. You can purchase tickets from Bernie Olivarez from Waka, Dolores Moreno, Maria Antonia Avila and Cheryl Sander from Spearman. Meal will consist of enchiladas, rice, beans and salad. Tickets are \$5.50 for adults and children under 6 free. Thank you for your support.

Hansford Hospice To Meet

Hansford Hospice will meet November 18 at 7 p.m. at Gruver First State Bank.

In The Panhandle

Wesley UMC Festival Of Arts & Crafts

Wesley United Methodist Church will be hosting its 16th Annual Festival of Arts and Crafts, December 7th, 1996 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., at the Community Center in Hereford, TX. Only a limited number of booths are available, with applications being screened. Booth fee is \$10.00. Applications may be obtained by writing to Ellen Collins 801 Miles St. Hereford, Tx. 79045 or call (806) 364-0774.

Lynx Unsaddle Rough Riders

On To Play-Offs



Brit Savage gains yardage during Friday night's game against Boys Ranch.

The Spearman Lynx are going to the District 2-1A bi-district playoffs. The Lynx team whipped the Boys Ranch Rough Riders this past Friday night in Spearman. This brought the Spearman team to a 9-1 regular season record.

The Lynx totally dominated the Rough Riders in their 55-6 victory. The Lynx had 419 rushing yards and 37 passing yards for a total gain of 456 compared to Boys Ranch 172. The Lynx team had 30 first downs while Boys Ranch managed only 9.

Michael Witten had 27 carries for 243 yards followed by Michael Lusby with nine carries for 67 yards. Jake Howard completed 3 of five passes; one to Frankie Dominquez for 21 yards

and two to Dillon Miller for 16 yards. Aaron Witten had six carries for 42 yards. Britt Savage carried the ball three times for 29 yards. Jake Howard had six carries for 22 yards and Carlos Hernandez picked up three yards on two carries. Eric Cudd carried the ball once for four yards and Clint Goodman carried the ball once for nine yards.

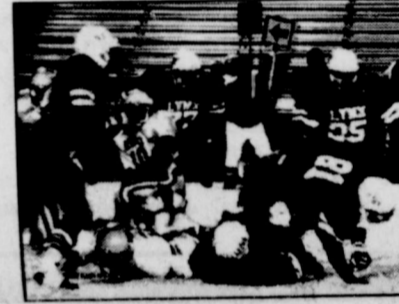
Michael Witten, Lusby, Savage and Goodman each averaged nine yards or better per carry.

The Lynx meet Memphis Friday night in Borger at 7:30. A send off for the team is scheduled for 3:25 at the Hansford County Courthouse.

We at the Reporter-Statesman offer our best wishes to the Lynx in their play-off endeavors.



Tom Kirk moves in on the Boys Ranch quarterback.



Dillon Miller recovers a Boys Ranch fumble.

FNB Held "Harvest Celebration"

First National Bank hosted a "Harvest Celebration" Chili/Hot Dog lunch on Friday, November 8, 1996.

They also sponsored a Drawing Contest at Spearman Elementary. The winners of this contest are: Kindergarten - Mrs. Harrell, 1st Grade - Mrs. Flowers, 2nd Grade - Mrs. Cope, 3rd Grade - Mrs. Orr, 4th Grade - Mrs. Rowland, 5th Grade - Mrs. Sandy Smith. Each of these classes will be treated to a pizza party by First National Bank.

Entertainment was provided by: Methodist Church Quartet (Trudy Schneider, Lynanne Maize, Kent Guthrie, and Mark Schoenhals), Lindy Phillips, High School choir ensembles and solos, High School band ensembles, and Tindle Ramon. Door prizes were also awarded.

These winners are: Dinner for 2 - Wanda Widener, O.E. Gammill; Chili/Hot Dog lunch from Country Cellular - Ray Martin; 2 Collector Banks from Gillaspie Auto - Bob Hardy, Rosalee Bueno; Turkeys - Albert Clark, Ted Widener, Ramon Cantu, and Loraine Kunselman.

First National Bank would like to thank everyone for sharing in the celebration, and also everyone who provided entertainment.

FNB would also like to thank all of their employees for their help in cooking and serving; the City of Spearman for the use of the park benches; Hansford County and Hansford Implement for the chairs and tables; Harry Stumpf for the use of his cooker; and Jim Younger for the music and the sound system.



Don Maize and Richie Fletcher cook hot dogs for First National Bank during their "Harvest Celebration" Chili/Hot Dog luncheon on Friday, November 8th.

Gang Seminar Held

by Cindy Blackman

What is a street gang? Why do youths join gangs? What can we do to stop the increase in gang activity? These questions and many more were answered Tuesday night by Corporal Steve Powers, Crime Analyst, during the "Gang 247-365" Seminar.

During this 90 minute workshop, Corporal Powers presented slides and videos to 100 concerned parents and community leaders of Hansford County.

Communities across the country are addressing the concern before their neighborhoods are intimidated by these gangs.

Corporal Powers strongly urged communities to work together with school officials, law enforcement and churches to teach children pride and offer encouragement. He also stressed throughout the evening that "we must be there for our kids - all of them!"

Local Students Make National Dean's List

A total of 6 students from this area are among the 125,000 students included in the 19th Annual Edition of *The National Dean's List* just published by Educational Communications, Inc., Lake Forest, Illinois.

Students are selected for this honor by their college deans, registrars or honor society advisors and must be in the upper 10% of their class, on their school's dean's list or have earned a comparable honor. Listed students are eligible to compete for \$30,000 in scholarship awards funded by the publisher and may also use a

referral service for future employment opportunities. More than 2,500 colleges and universities nationwide use the publication to recognize their academically qualified students.

Local students selected include: from Gruver, Texas: Kaisin A. Foster - McMurry University; Garrett M. Gumfory - Texas Tech University. The ones from Spearman, Texas are: Edward R. Earle - Frank Phillips College; Cheryl M. Sander - Frank Phillips College; Sharon A. Sutton - Frank Phillips College; Kimberly K. Taylor - Miss Wades Fashion College.

Big Brothers, Big Sisters To Serve Hansford County

The Hansford/Ochiltree Satellite of Big Brothers, Big Sisters of the Texas Panhandle, Inc. is closer to reaching the reality phase. About nine months ago, Gina and J.P. Davis contacted the regional office for Big Brothers, Big Sisters in Amarillo to discuss the possibility of having a satellite office in Spearman. After months of research and talking with educators and people throughout the area, the Board of Directors of the organization voted to approve the satellite office. One of the ground rules, however, is that each satellite office have the financial support to hire a staff and open an office locally.

Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Texas Panhandle, Inc. is a volunteer driven organization dedicated to matching children ages six to fourteen from single parent or extended family homes in a one-to-one relationship with a qualified mentor for the development of positive life skills and social values.

Jelaine Workman, Executive Director for the BBBS Amarillo region reports, "Through the Big Brothers Big Sisters Impact Study recently completed by the Public/Private Venture Group, we found that children with a one-to-one mentor were 46% less likely to start using illegal drugs and 27% less likely to start drinking. They were 52% less likely than their peers to skip a day of school and 37% less likely to skip a class." Workman continues, "This proves that our program does have an impact."

"Children from single parent homes often need another adult 'friend' to share ideas, concerns, and joys," Workman explains. "Through this program we can match a child between the ages of six and fourteen with a qualified adult to provide just that type of friendship."

For more information, contact Gina Davis at the Spearman Chamber of Commerce or the Amarillo office at 1-800-687-8282.



Ginger Turner (Left) and Arbeta Nobles (Right), of the Spearman Rotary Club, present Gina Davis and Jelaine Workman, of Big Brothers, Big Sisters, with a check. The Spearman Rotary Club sponsored a booth at the Fall Festival, with proceeds going to Big Brothers, Big Sisters.

Notice

The November 28th issue of the Hansford County Reporter-Statesman will be printed on Monday, November 25th, due to the Thanksgiving holidays. The deadline to submit information or advertising for this issue will be 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, November 21st.

Laugh and Live

gcs@arn.net



This past Sunday, they had a rib eye steak dinner at the First United Methodist Church in Spearman. I was there. The food was great and the preaching was all right - not as good as usual, but all right..

Sitting there looking at my baked potato and salad, I thought about my Uncle Harold.

Uncle Harold was a deacon at the First Baptist Church of Magnolia, North Carolina. What my uncle was best at, in his words, was "argumentation". He could and would argue with a fencepost.

Back about 1951, some of the people thought that the church was in need of a new chandelier.

Uncle Harold thought differently.

Uncle Harold spoke up at the weekly deacon's meeting, "There are three reasons why we do not need a new chandelier."

"First, they cost too much".

"Second, there is no one in the church that knows how to play the thing."

"And third, what this church really needs is more light."

Until Next Time,
May God Bless!
GCS

Gruver ISD School Menu

Monday, November 18	Tuesday, November 19
Cereal, Muffin, Juice; Milk	PK-4 Hot Dog, French Fries, Fruit, Fruit Juice Bar, 5-12 Baked Potato, Trims, Beans, Fruit Muffin; Milk
Scrambled Eggs, Toast, Jelly, Juice; milk	Wednesday, November 20
Wednesday, November 20	"Thanksgiving Dinner", Turkey, Dressing, Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy, Corn, Pumpkin Pie, Hot Roll; Milk
Breakfast Pizza, Juice; Milk	Thursday, November 21
Thursday, November 21	Two Chalupas, Cheese, Lettuce, Pineapples, Cornbread; Milk
Two Pancakes, Syrup, Juice; Milk	Friday, November 22
Friday, November 22	Char burger, Lettuce, Pickles, Cheese, French Fries, Vanilla Ice Cream; Milk
Cinnamon Roll, Juice; Milk	
Lunch	
Monday, November 18	
Pizza, Salad, Crackers, Mix Vegetables, Fruit; Milk	

Hansford Manor To Participate In Eden Alternative

Amidst a backdrop of lush green plants, an elderly lady sits in a rocking chair. She is gently rocking a three-year old child as the two, together, giggle over pictures in the brightly-colored picture book they are holding. A dog is sleeping peacefully near the happy pair. One hears birds singing nearby. This is a scenario commonly encountered in nursing homes which have adopted the principles of The Eden Alternative.

Hansford Manor is one of seven nursing homes in Texas selected to participate in a joint research project with the Institute for Quality Improvement in Long Term Health Care (Institute). The Institute, a research institute funded by the Texas State Legislature and located within the School of Health Professions at Southwest Texas State University, has been working to bring the Eden Alternative to Texas nursing homes. All nursing homes in Texas were invited to participate in a research project establishing pilot facilities to serve as Eden models, and eventually, as Eden training centers.

The Eden Alternative, an innovative nursing home model, was developed by Dr. Bill Thomas and Judy Thomas. "Dr. Bill", a graduate of Harvard Medical School, noticed a few things missing in the lives of his patients when he agreed to serve as the medical director of a nursing home in New York State. As Dr. Bill and Judy worked with the residents in the facility, they began to realize that the isolation of the infirm elderly

brought about damage to the human spirit. In addition to the medical problems faced by these institutionalized individuals, helplessness, boredom, and loneliness punctuated their daily existence.

The Eden Alternative attacks those three plagues through the introduction to the nursing home of resident animals, lots of plants, and the presence of children on a daily basis. Dr. Thomas created a vibrant, diverse, and harmonious environment within his nursing homes. He calls this changed environment a "human habitat" which is directly connected to residents' needs for companionship, spontaneity, and opportunities to give care.

An additional component of the human habitat involves a team management approach in which employees are empowered to make decisions and control their own work schedules. Employee turnover was reduced by 26%. The nursing home residents benefit from a happier staff, not only in terms of a more congenial environment, but also in terms of simply having the same care providers day after day.

The selection of Hansford Manor to participate in this exciting project is a source of pride to Spearman, and Hansford Manor eagerly anticipates strong community involvement as the project unfolds.

"Hansford Manor received no funding, but we will participate in the research aspects of the program, while incorporating some of the program's aspects as we are able to," states Anne Snow, Hansford Manor Administrator.



Gary Moore, manager of Alco in Spearman, presents Sondra Backus with a \$50.00 gift certificate, after her name was drawn in a recent drawing held at Alco.

Gladiola Flower Club News

The Gladiola Flower Club had their Annual Thanksgiving Supper in the Fellowship Hall of the Church of Christ on November 7th at 6:30 p.m.

Ann Flowers and Charlsie Baker were hostesses.

Wally Berner gave the invocation and a delicious meal of turkey, dressing and all the trimmings were enjoyed.

After the meal everyone enjoyed playing crazy bridge.

President Dorothy Buzzard called a short business meeting to finalize the plans for the home tour on December 8th from 1:30 - 4:30 p.m. We will have 4 homes to tour. Mr. and Mrs. Dan Carter 621 S. Endicott; Mr. and Mrs. Verlin Winegarner 321 S. Barkley; Mr. and Mrs. Sid

Sawyer 504 S. Haney; Mr. and Mrs. Pat Jackson at 1105 Linn Drive.

The following members attended: Dickie and Newell Allen, Billy and Charlsie Baker, Wally and Myra Berner, John and Wanda Brown, Dorothy Buzzard, Betty Jean Davis, Kenneth and Margarette Evans, Roy and Ann Flowers, Virginia Head, Nolan and Fay Holt, Bill and Estelle Jackson, Doyle and June Jackson, Lorene Kunselman, Jo Larson, Ray and Judy Martin, Don and Gwen Smith, Kathleen Sutton, John and Virginia Trindle, Denise Carter and son Cade, Dude and Verna Brown and guest Ed Haner.

The next meeting will be December 19th with Dickie Allen hostess.

Thank You

We would like to thank each person who called, came by, sent food, flowers and cards. We appreciate your friendship and love.

A special thank you to Dr. Mann and the hospice staff who showed such compassion for Doris. A most grateful thank you to family and friends and new acquaintances who took time to spend with Doris to give her such tender care. Thanks to the Full Gospel women who served a delicious meal. Also, praise God for Pastors Harrol Waterbury, Tim Buschman and Bill Sparks for a wonderful service that let us know that Jesus is our hope and that we have truly lost a Proverbs 31 woman.

May God Bless Each of You,
Arthur Born
Lyndon and Jerri Born and family
Leslie Born
Ernest, Paul, Elmer Bechthold and families
Louise Brown and family
Esther Garton and family
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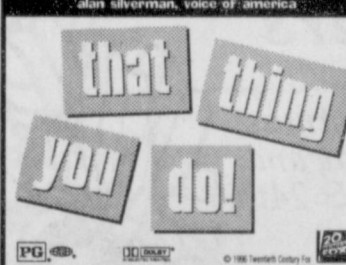
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Hansford County Community Calendar

November 14-24

Thursday, November 14

3:45 p.m. - JV Girls - Spearman vs. Gruver, Perryton Tourney
6:15 p.m. - JV Boys - Spearman vs. Gruver, Perryton Tourney
6:15 p.m. - Freshmen Boys - Spearman vs. Gruver, Perryton Tourney
7:00 p.m. - Hansford County Hospital Board Meeting
7:30 p.m. - Freshmen Girls - Spearman vs. Gruver, Perryton Tourney
Perryton JV Tournament

Friday, November 15

Texas Recycles Day
Perryton JV Tournament
5:00 p.m. - Spearman Varsity Girls vs. Borger - T
7:30 p.m. - Bi-District Football Game - Spearman vs. Memphis - Borger

Saturday, November 16

Perryton JV Tournament
6:00 p.m. - Benefit Dinner for Joe Olivarez, Waka School

Sunday, November 17

1:00-5:00 p.m. - Gruver Merchant's Christmas Open House

Monday, November 18

7:00 p.m. - Hansford Hospice Meets, Gruver State Bank
7:00 p.m. - GED Class Held, Spearman High School
7:00 p.m. - Pringle-Morse PTA Meeting

Tuesday, November 19 & Wednesday, November 20

Pringle-Morse CISD Book Fair

Tuesday, November 19

12:00 p.m. - Women's Division Executive Board Meets
12:00 p.m. - Soybean Production Meeting, County Barn
7:30 p.m. - Spearman City Council Meets

Wednesday, November 20

Spearman Post Office Sponsored Food Drive
12:00 p.m. - Women's Division Meets
5:30-6:30 p.m. - First Baptist Church Children's Choir

Thursday, November 21

Great American Smokeout
11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. - FUMC Chancel Choir's Thanksgiving Dinner
11:45 a.m.-1:30 p.m. - Pringle-Morse Community/Parents Thanksgiving

Saturday, November 23

10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. - "Christmas Extravaganza", O'Loughlin Center

Sunday, November 24

12:30-4:00 p.m. - "Christmas Extravaganza", O'Loughlin Center
1:00-6:00 p.m. - Spearman Merchant's Christmas Open House

Happy Birthday!

November 14 Birthdays - Lilly Fletcher, Lisa Melyn Johnson, Luke Johnson, Missy Johnson, Ray Martin, Ricky Sharp, Carl Kunselman, Rhonda Tope, Norma Payne, Dolly McWhirter, Sandy Morris, Roy Pipkin, Connie Freiks, Mark Love, Jessica Crossland, Bill Jessup, Cora Knutson, Adela White, John Patterson, Judy Yarbrough

Anniversaries - Mr. & Mrs. Benny Bradvick, Mr. & Mrs. Nathan Hanson, Mr. & Mrs. Dave Barkley, Mr. & Mrs. Bobby Thompson

November 15 Birthdays - Pam Shearer, R.D. (Doc) Tomlison, Debbie Clawson, J.T. Pond, Virginio Ortega, Rudy Zamora, Kiki Kelp, Carolyn Sadler, Jeremy Hunter, Rue Sanders, Brenda Vassar, Francis Balderama

Anniversaries - Mr. & Mrs. Richard Pipkin, Mr. & Mrs. Irene Avld

November 16 Birthdays - Felipe Alvarez, Charles Bell, Don Heddins, Chandler Miner, Angela Overbey, Clint Patterson, Charlotte Pearson, Karen Kay Kenny, Keith Goodman, David McGurie

Anniversaries - Bertha & Francisco Martinez

November 17 Birthdays - Pam Cassidy, Janyth Hart, Tom Spivey, Francis Pipkin, Francis Scroggs, Curtis Gross, Barbara Jessup, Abby Winegarner

Anniversaries - Bernie & Kellie Kjos, Mr. & Mrs. Corky Kizzar, Mr. & Mrs. Marvin Jones

November 18 Birthdays - Bryn Lowe, Gwen Parker, Tracy Reagan, Kevin Rodriguez, Arnold Stork, Amanda Taylor, Jennefer Johnson, Steven Tindell, Rose Mary Tartar, Chris Taylor, Kashey Brown, Rita Underwood, Clayton Fox, Roy Harris, Jennefer Nelson, Freida Burgess, Mona Lisa Garcia

November 19 Birthdays - Anna Cooper, Cherri Sherill, David Hall, James Davis, Brian

Beck, Tim Gikas, Theodore Bayless, Sharon Barkley, Aaron Shawn Moore, Jeff Jackson

Anniversaries - Mr. & Mrs. Brice Lewis

November 20 Birthdays - Scott Davis, Jr. Rodriguez, Johnny Lee, Mrs. Ray McCammond, Jerry Wayne Dunnaway, Danny Close, Donald Bowen, Ron Rilesey, Garland Dahl, Brenda Ferguson, Freda Sheets, Tammy Batton, Caia Hester, Carie Clark

Anniversaries - Mr. & Mrs. Phillip Turner, Mr. & Mrs. Ramon Garcia Jr., Mr. & Mrs. Jesse Renteria

November 21 Birthdays - Kaysha Cluck, Ray Wells, Jackie Wilson, Jim Burch, Robert Janzen, Jody Robertson, Mark Pearson, Mrs. Jake Vernon, James Owens, Angie Salgado, Margie Alford, Matt Burnam, Denise Rojas, Victor White, Haley Coomen

Anniversaries - Mr. & Mrs. Johnny White, Mr. & Mrs. J.L. Griffin

November 22 Birthdays - Garret Miner, Lucille Crawford, Kevin Russell, Rusty Reed, Bonita Reimer, Heather Baskin, Phillip Janzan, David Miser, Lesly Hayes, Nancy Morris, Russell Sheets



Burl Buchanan, Mayor of Spearman, signs a proclamation designating November as National Home Care Month. Observing the signature are Rosetta Barrera and Sandy Russell, Hansford Hospice volunteers.

Proclamation

November, 1996 - National Hospice Month

To The Citizens Of Spearman, Texas:
Whereas, dedicated men and women who provide hospice care help terminally ill patients to face natural death without feeling alone or unprepared; and
Whereas, these programs are helping to ensure that hospice care remains a positive, viable alternative for terminally ill individuals and their loved ones.
Now, Therefore, I, Burl Buchanan, Mayor of the City of Spearman, join with President Clinton in proclaiming the month of November, 1996, as
"National Hospice Month
and to encourage recognition of and support for hospice care in Spearman and for the Nation.
In Witness Where, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the great seal of the City of Spearman, Texas.
Dated this Seventh day of November, Nineteen Hundred and Ninety-six.
Mayor Burl Buchanan

Thank You

We would like to express our thanks to all the women who helped to take baked goods to the bake sale and to all the people who donated money and bought food.

Thank you,
Joe, Bernie, Reuben and David Olivarez

Thank You

We would like to thank our friends of Gruver for their prayers, calls, visits and food, during Travis' shoulder surgery.
A special "Thank You" to his grandparents Toby and Ruby Bilderback of Amarillo for all their extra help and time for us.

Thanks,
Travis, Alfred and Brenda Bayless; Andrea and Randy Phillips

Great American Smokeout

Americans are urged just to quit during the Great American Smokeout on November 21.

"Smoking is the largest single, preventable cause of death and disability in the United States," said Janet Pollard, Extension associate-health.

"Using tobacco increases the risk of developing lung cancer, heart disease and emphysema. Children living in homes with smokers have higher rates of ear infections, asthma, colds and bronchitis," Pollard said.

Facilitated by the American Cancer Society, the Great American Smokeout is the day each year when smokers and non-smokers alike commit to keeping society and children smoke-free.

For smokers, the Smokeout is a day to prove to themselves they can quit by putting up their cigarettes and other tobacco products for the day. Nonsmokers can join in the Smokeout by adopting relatives, friends and co-workers to help them quit for the day.

This year, students can join in the Great American SmokeScream in schools across the U.S. at 2 p.m. on November 21. Students will be "screaming" out against tobacco use to help draw attention to the reasons youth shouldn't start smoking.

Further information on whether the SmokeScream is being offered in your area is available from the American Cancer Society.

"Most smokers begin during their teenage years, become addicted to nicotine and smoke an average of 30 cigarettes a day for an average of 50 years," Pollard said.

Only 3 percent to 5 percent of those who try to quit succeed. The most successful method of quitting has been going "cold turkey," she added.

A typical smoker buys more than half a million cigarettes, costing about \$50,000 over a lifetime. A one-pack-a-day smoker spends \$1,000 to \$1,200 each year on cigarettes.

GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY

The children and grandchildren of Irvin and Betty Davis are hosting a reception to honor them on their 50th Anniversary Sunday, November 24th from 2:00-4:00 p.m. at the First Christian Church, 29 S. Bernice, Spearman, TX.

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Focus On The Family

QUESTION: You believe a majority of Americans experience low self-esteem to one degree or another. Assuming that to be true, what are the collective implications of that poor self-concept?

DR. DOBSON: It has serious implications for the stability of the American culture, because the health of an entire society depends on the ease with which its individual members can gain personal acceptance. Thus, whenever the keys to self-esteem are seemingly out of reach for a large percentage of people, as in 20th century America today, then widespread mental illness, neuroticism, hatred, alcoholism, drug abuse, violence and social disorder will certainly occur.

Personal worth is not something human beings are free to take or leave. We must have it, and when it is unattainable, everybody suffers.

This question and answer is excerpted from the book *Dr. Dobson Answers Your Questions*. Dr. James Dobson is a psychologist, author and president of *Focus on the Family*, a nonprofit organization dedicated to the preservation of the home. Correspondence to Dr. Dobson should be addressed to: *Focus on the Family*, P.O. Box 444, Colorado Springs, CO 80903, (c) 1982 Tyndale House Publishers, Inc.

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Evening Worship: 6 p.m. Sun.
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Pastor - James Brown
- First Assembly of God**
401 N. Bernice • 659-2295
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 10:50 a.m.
Evening Worship: 7 p.m.
Wed. Worship: 7:30 p.m.
Youth: 7:30 Wednesday
Pastor - Walter Greaser, Jr.
- First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)**
29 S. Bernice • 659-2036
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 10:50 a.m.
Evening Bible Study
Worship: 6:30 p.m. Sun.
Interim Pastor - Ernie Williams
- First Baptist Church**
123 N. Bernice • 659-5557
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Evening Worship: 7 p.m.
Jr. High Youth: 6 p.m. Wed.
High School Youth: 7 p.m. Wed.
Youth Choir: 6 p.m. Sun.
Pastor - Kyle Henderson
- Church of Christ**
121 S. Haney • 659-3244
Sunday Bible Class: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship: p.m.
Bible Study Wed: 7:30 p.m.
KRDF Radio Program
Living With Christ: 7:50 a.m., M-F
Minister - Arnis Pape
- Sacred Heart Catholic Church**
901 Roland • 659-2792
Sat. Night Mass: 7 p.m.
Sunday Mass: 8:45 a.m. - English (8:45 a.m. Service on KRDF 98.3 FM)
Sunday Mass: 11:15 - Spanish
1:30 p.m. - Gruver - Christo Rectorator Mass - Spanish
Rev. Scott Raef
- Trinity Community Church**
717 W. 7th Ave. • 659-2871
Worship Service & Children's Church: 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Night School: 5:30 p.m.
Wed., Night Youth: 7 p.m.
Interim Pastor - Richard Humphries
- First Presbyterian Church (Worships with Faith Lutheran Church)**
1021 Cotter • 659-2033
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. at Lutheran Church
Worship: 11 a.m. (alternates monthly between Lutheran and Presbyterian Church Buildings)
Pastor - Beverly Cook
- Faith Lutheran Church (ELCA)**
1101 Bernice • 659-2036
(Worships with First Presbyterian Church)
- First United Methodist**
407 S. Haney • 659-5503
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Jr. High Youth: 5 p.m. Sunday
High School: 6 p.m. Sunday
Rainbow Kids Club: 3:00 Wednesday
Pastor - Jeff Lust
- Union Church**
31 S. Endicott • 659-2644
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship: 6 p.m.
Bible Study & Prayer Mtg.: 7 p.m. Wed.
Pastor - Jerry Pollard
- Fellowship Baptist**
1102 S. Archer • 659-2783
Sunday School: 10 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Evening Worship: 6 p.m. Sunday
Youth & Adult Serv.: 7:30 Wed.
Pastor - Gene Foster
- Primera Mision Bautista**
502 E. 7th • 659-3991
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.; Evening: 6 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meeting: 7 p.m.
Thurs. Visitation: 7 p.m.
Pastor - Isaias Martinez

In Gruver...

- First Baptist Church**
402 E. Broadway • 733-2411
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 10:50 a.m.
Disciple Training: 6 p.m. Sunday
Prayer Meeting: 7:30 p.m., Wednesday
Pastor - Scott Curry
- Church of Christ**
209 King • 733-2760
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
Worship: 10:20 a.m.
Evening Worship: 6 p.m.
Wed. Evening Worship: 7:30 p.m.
Minister - Bob Setliff
- First Christian Church**
510 King • 733-2960
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Wed. Bible Study: 7:30 p.m.
Youth: 6:30, Wednesday
Pastor - Gary Gumfroy
- Oslo Lutheran Church (ELCA)**
6 Miles West & 12 Miles North of Gruver
839-7709
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Pastor - John R. Chandler
- Gruver United Methodist**
Broadway & Garrett • 733-2651
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 8:30 a.m. & 10:50 a.m.
Evening Worship & UMY: 6 p.m.
Pastor - Jerry Moore
- Spanish Cristo Redentor Church**
Sunday Mass: 1:30 p.m.
Friday Evening Mass
Summer - 8:00 p.m.
Fall/Winter - 7:30 p.m.

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Museum usings

by Joanne Eaton

The Museum recently was donated a copy of a book about one of this area's famous pioneers, Billy Dixon. The name of the book is *Life of Billy Dixon Who Fought at Adobe Walls and Buffalo Wallow - Plainsman, Scout, and Pioneer*. The book was published in 1914. This copy of the book belonged to Ruth Dreessen Garner, grandmother of Bonnie Cox. It was donated to the Museum by Evelyn Gilpatrick of Port Angeles, Washington, daughter of Ruth Garner.

At the front of the book is a copy of the picture of the "Fight at Adobe Walls" painted by Gwenned Jones Lackey, when she was a girl. Gwenned corresponded with Billy Dixon who sent her a map of Adobe Walls as it was during the battle, the situation of the buildings etc. A later painting by Gwenned of this battle is on display at the Hansford County Library in Spearman, Texas. The early painting is on display at the No Mans Land Historical Museum in Goodwell, Oklahoma.

Although this battle was fought in Hutchinson County, it has been a big part of Hansford County's history. Mrs. Olive Dixon, wife of Billy Dixon, had the book published after his death. She was instrumental in the writing of the book as she would follow her husband through his chores, even to the corrals, and write down any story he told her about his life. She filled notebook after notebook with these stories. After Billy's death, Frederick S. Barde, of Guthrie, Oklahoma, compiled the manuscript and carried the book through the press.

The only thing that saved the group at Adobe Walls was the fact that a ridge pole in Hanrahan's Saloon made a noise like the crack of a rifle. This ridge pole was holding the weight of the dirt roof. The owner woke up others to help him take the dirt off the roof. If the roof collapsed, it would fall in on some of the people; therefore, the men at Adobe Walls were not asleep when the Indians attacked.

Another thing that saved their lives was the fact that the walls of the adobe structures were two feet thick. This stopped a lot of bullets.

Still another thing on the Adobe Walls side, was that the Indian warriors were charging to the sound of a bugle. The calls were understood on the Adobe Walls side; therefore, they knew everything the Indians intended to do. The first call blown was a

rally and the next a charge. Any ex-soldier at Adobe Walls immediately understood these calls.

Billy Dixon's description of the Indians advancing was worth reading the whole book. He described how beautiful a scene this was as the early morning sun was shining. The sun was reflecting off their silver and brass ornaments. There were colors of red, vermilion and ocher, and many bright feathers.

Billy is the person who shot an Indian at 1200 yards on the third day of the battle. He said he was a good marksman, yet this was what might be called a "scratch" shot.

Quannah Parker, the most famous Indian at the Battle of Adobe Walls, and Billy Dixon later became friends in life. Charles Goodnight and James H. Cator were also close friends.

I wish we had copies of this book for sale at the Museum. It is very good reading.

Evelyn Gilpatrick also gave us the letter that her mother received from James Cator when she ordered the book. The book cost was \$1.50 plus eight cents postage. Mr. Cator was selling the books for Mrs. Dixon. He said, "I don't think she will get much out of it. You see the one that put it in book form charged \$500.00, the Publishers \$900.00. When I last heard from her there had been 600 books out and of course not all sold." In this copy of the book, Mr. Cator marked a few places that got "mixed." He said he was there right after the fight and stayed until all left, about five weeks after the fight.

One correction James Cator wrote in the book is that there were 19 men and one woman at Adobe Walls. Only eight or nine of the men lived at the Walls, the others were buffalo-hunters. The main reason for the battle was the buffalo-hunters were killing so many buffalo and the Indians did not like this.

Come by the Museum and read this letter and see the book. I'm so thankful that people like Evelyn share their possessions with us so we can all enjoy them. Thanks Evelyn for this gift!

Hey Kids! Did you know that a pet-black crow flew over the Battle of Adobe Walls the whole time it was going on. He never got shot! He flew in and out of the buildings.

We still have ten copies of Dotty Jones' book *A Search for Opportunity*. I'm not sure she'll be able to get any more printed. It is

a great book to have on the early history of Hansford County. It is Most ingredients are in your cabinet! They should be here in the near future.

It's hard to believe that a lot of my life seems like ancient history to my grandchildren. I think a lot of their questions are prompted by son-in-laws. One day Brant, my grandson, asked me if they had cars when I was little. I guess when I look back that isn't a question that is too far fetched.

I had a new granddaughter recently, Kiersan. I stayed with them a week and a half. Brant asked me why I didn't just move in. My son-in-law said, "No way!" Now I wonder why one generation can love you to pieces and the other one can't!

Museum hours are 1:00 until 5:00 Tuesday through Saturday. Special tours can be arranged by calling J.D. or Rubyjo Wilbanks at 659-3084, Clementine Renner at 659-2335, or Helen Boyd at 733-2777.



The Gladiola Flower Club will host their annual Home Tour December 8, 1996 and this is one of a few homes that will be toured. This attractive, remodeled home of Dan and Denise Carter, is the original home of Harry and Flossie Crooks, built in 1948 by Mr. Wilson and Homer Beck. It is a 3 bedroom, 2 bath home located at 621 S. Endicott.

Pringle-Morse CISD School Menu

Breakfast
Monday, November 18
 Blueberry Muffin, Toast, Juice; Milk
Tuesday, November 19
 Cheese Toast, Toast, Juice; Milk
Wednesday, November 20
 Cereal, Toast, Juice; Milk
Thursday, November 21
 Cinnamon Toast, Toast, Juice; Milk
Friday, November 22
 Biscuit, Gravy, Juice; Milk
Lunch
Monday, November 18
 Burrito, Chili, Beans, Rice, Salad, Cornbread, Fruit; Milk
Tuesday, November 19
 Hamburger Steak, Potatoes w/Gravy, Corn, Salad, Hot Roll, Fruit; Milk
Wednesday, November 20
 Barbecue Sandwich, Potato Salad, Pork-n-Beans, Pickle, Fruit; Milk

Thursday, November 21
 "Thanksgiving Dinner"
Friday, November 22
 Pizza, Salad, Fruit, Ice Cream; Milk

At The Movies

The First Wives Club (PG) - A strange concoction that seems a sure thing. Bette Midler, Goldie Hawn and Diane Keaton, all dumped by their husbands, team up for revenge. But even though Midler and Hawn are the established comics, it's Keaton who generates laughs in the trailer. (Humor, language)

That Thing You Do! (PG) - Tom Hanks brings a refreshing burst of rock 'n' roll energy to his debut as a director. (Mild language)

Spearman ISD School Menu

Breakfast
Monday, November 18
 Cereal, Toast or Breakfast Pizza, Fruit or Fruit Juice; milk
Tuesday, November 19
 Cereal, Toast or 2 Cinnamon Toast, Fruit, or Fruit Juice; Milk
Wednesday, November 20
 Cereal, Toast or Sausage Link, Pancakes, Fruit or Fruit Juice; Milk
Thursday, November 21
 Cereal, Toast or Pancake Sausage on a Stick, Fruit or Fruit Juice; Milk
Friday, November 22
 Cereal, Toast or Donut, Fruit or Fruit Juice; Milk
Lunch
Monday, November 18
 Sausage Pizza, Hamburger Basket, 2 Tacos; *Side Items:* Pinto Beans, Spanish Rice, Salsa, Lettuce, Tomato, Shredded Lettuce, Pineapple Tidbits, Grated Cheese, Cracker; Milk
Tuesday, November 19
 Pepperoni Pizza, Hamburger Basket, Ham or Chicken Salad on a Croissant; *Side Items:* Chips, Celery & Carrot Sticks, w/ranch Dressing, Tomato Soup, Pork-n-Beans, Spice Cake; Milk
Wednesday, November 20
 Sausage Pizza, Hamburger Basket, Fish Strip; *Side Items:* Tator Tots, Peaches, Shredded Lettuce, Grated Cheese, Crackers; Milk
Thursday, November 21
 Pepperoni Pizza, Hamburger Basket, Chicken Fried Steak Fritter; *Side Items:* Whipped Potato, Cream Gravy, Seasoned Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Raspberry Jell-O; Milk
Friday, November 22
 Sausage Pizza, Hamburger Pizza, Hamburger Basket, Chicken Stir Fry w/ Egg Roll; *Side Items:* Fried Rice, Stir Fry Vegetables, Pears, Fortune Cookie, Shredded Lettuce, Crackers, Grated Cheese; Milk

It's A Boy!
 Greg and Develan Reimer are proud to announce the birth of their son, Dakota Lewis Reimer. Dakota was born at 8:07 a.m. on Saturday, October 26, 1996 in New Braunfels, Texas. He weighed 8 pounds, 10 ounces, and was 22 inches long. Dakota is welcomed home by his sisters, Kelsey 7 years old and Karissa 4 years old. Proud grandparents are Mick and Karen Reimer of Perryton, Texas, and Tommy and Fran Hill of Longview, Texas. Paternal great-grandparents are Clarence Lewis of Perryton, Texas and Freida Unrub of Reedley, California.

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Christmas Extravaganza
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 Sunday, Nov. 24, 12:30-4:00 p.m.

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Danny Ellis leads the 2nd and 3rd grade students in "America the Beautiful" during the Veteran's Day Program held on Monday, November 11, 1996.

Spearman 7th Grade Ends Season With 7-2 Record

The Spearman 7th Grade football team defeated Sunray, 24-0, on Thursday, October 17, 1996, bringing their record to 5-1.

Touchdowns were scored by Tanner Beedy, Coy Herrington, and Miguel Ceballos.

The 7th grade boys beat West Texas, 22-16 on Thursday, October 24, 1996.

"Both teams played well. It was an exciting game, and went down to the last play," commented coach Greg Gibson. "Our offensive line played well."

They fell to Stratford, 22-8 on Thursday, October 31st.

The touchdown was scored by Coy Herrington, and the two-point conversion was scored by Edward Vazquez.

The 7th grade boys ended the year with a 24-0 win over Boys Ranch on Thursday, November 6, 1996. Their season record was 7-2.

"The boys had a great year," stated Coach Greg Gibson. "I hope we learned a little football and had a good time."

HC Historical Commission

by Joanne Eaton

The Hansford County Historical Commission met November 11, 1996 at the Zulu Stockade at 2:00 p.m.

Joel Lee Lackey, chairman, asked for committee reports.

Helen Boyd, of the Historical Preservation Committee "Museum" reported that Dotty Jones' book *A Search for Opportunity* is selling well. Joel Lee Lackey reported on his meeting at Trafton Printers concerning reprinting this book.

Other committee reports were unavailable.

Joel Lee discussed Texas Archeology Awareness Month, which is in February. The commission plans to order a packet to see how participation in this project can concern Hansford County.

Members present were: Bill K. Jackson, J.D. Wilbanks, Helen Boyd, Cindy Blackman, Joanne Eaton, Johnnie Lee, Jennie Blankenship, Gus Renner, Joel Lee Lackey, Clementine Renner, Joyce Johnson, Rubyjo Wilbanks, Jeff Lackey, and one guest Bill Johnson.

Gruver Wrestling Team Competes

by Harletta Carthel

The Gruver Wrestling Team, a team that includes boys from Gruver, Morse, and Spearman, won several honors this weekend in Borger.

Results in the Division I and II of the open tournament included Taylor Williams of Gruver, 1st, 39 pounds and under; Drew Grotegut, Gruver, 5th, 46 pounds and under; Tucker Williams, Gruver, 1st, 50 pounds and under; Tyler Lane, 3rd, 58 pounds and under; and Sheldon Atwood, 5th, 73 pounds and under.

In the Division III open tournament, Colby Griffin, Gruver, won 1st in the 67 pounds and under category, and Earl Griffin took 5th in the 62 pounds and under group.

Rookie Division results in the rookie tournament included Michael Avila, Spearman, 5th, 39 pounds and under; Drew Mireles, 3rd, 44 pounds and under; Caleb, Odegaard, Spearman, 2nd, 50 pounds and under; Caleb Odegaard, Spearman, 5th, 44 pounds and under, and Ryan Abernathy, Gruver, 1st, 92 pounds and under.

4-H District Gold Star Banquet Held



Leah Mackie



Jarod Johnson

Thirty-nine outstanding 4-H Club members from the Panhandle area were honored at the Panhandle District 1 39th annual 4-H Gold Star Banquet held at West Texas A&M University Saturday, November 2, 1996.

Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative along with Greenbelt Electric Cooperative, Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, North Plains Electric, Swisher Electric Cooperative, and Rita Blanca Electric sponsored the annual banquet.

The theme of this year's program was: "4-H'ers on the Gold Star Committee of the 1996-97 District 4-H Council.

To qualify for the Gold Star

Award, highest 4-H honor at the county level, a 4-H'er must be at least 15 years old, have completed three years of club work and be active in 4-H. The award is intended to stimulate winners to higher achievement and to encourage other young people to participate in the county 4-H program. Leah Mackie and Jarod Johnson were honored Gold Star recipients from Hansford County.

The awards were presented by Bob Robinson and Martha E. Couch, District Extension Directors of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. 4-H is the youth program of the Extension Service.

Postal Data

by George Finley

With Christmas time around the corner there are a few tips we need to inform you of so you can get your mail where it needs to be.

When you mail a package, address it with a dark marker in big letters.

Put plenty of padding around your contents. We prefer at least 4 inches. Your package goes into a sack with others and yours may be on the bottom.

Do not use masking tape. Strapping tape is the best. Or duct tape. Masking tape will many times come loose in transport. Put your name and address inside the package with the contents. If the worst happens and for some reason your package gets torn where you can't read the address. Yours will still be on the inside.

Please don't use mailing labels. Most of these are good while they are wet. We have seen them get dry, wrinkle up and pop of the package. Not just with packages, but with all your mail.

Make sure you use the correct mailing address. Sometimes the house address is not the same as the mailing address. I know your thinking, I've lived here for 50 years. Everyone in town knows me. This may be true, but there may be a new employee in the Post Office that has never seen you.

We also want you to do something else for us. If you have been using another company to mail your packages, I want you to do me a favor. Next time you go there get the price that they are going to charge. Tell them thank you and bring that same package to the Post Office, and compare prices. If it will save you money, isn't it worth a little extra time to compare. You do with other things. We want to do what we can to help you, please come by and give us a chance.

Again don't forget to mail early. Also have a very good Thanksgiving, and remember why we celebrate it.



Mr. Jose Garcia presents a 25-Year Length-of-Service Award to Ms. Marge Papay.

Papay Honored By National Weather Service

Ms. Marge Papay, Morse, Texas, received a 25-Year Length-of-Service Award from the National Weather Service recognizing her long service as a Cooperative Weather Observer. The award was presented on behalf of the NWS by Mr. Jose Garcia Meteorologist in Charge and Mr. Stephen Bilodeau, Hydro Meteorological Technician from the Weather Forecast Office in Amarillo, Texas.

Cooperative Observers are all volunteers. These volunteers provide a service to their Texas Panhandle neighbors as well as the United States Climatological Service. Without their help, much needed information would be lost.

The National Weather Service is proud and honored to number Ms. Marge Papay among its network of dedicated volunteer observers.



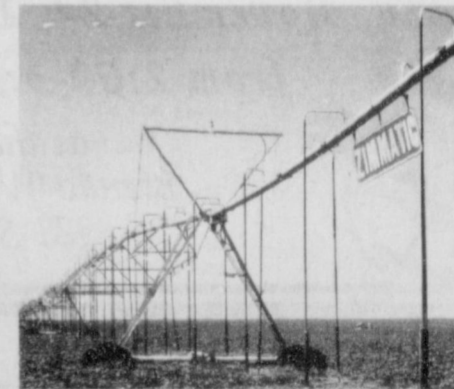
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by Joanne Eat

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Ronald McDonald presents a star to Seth Redwine during a program entitled "You're A Star," presented to Spearman Elementary on Tuesday, November 5th. This is a national program presented to over 300 schools a year. This motivational program was sponsored by Marietta and Bill Benda, owners of the Perryton McDonalds.

Ezra Boys Club Update

by Bob Adams

Thirty two boys joined their fathers huffing and puffing as they finished the Gruver Ezra Boys Clubs Push-Mobile Competition on October 16. The first event was a sprint. First one boy pushed the other to the finish line, then they switched driver/pusher and returned to the start line. The sprint relay results were:

1st-grade Boys Club: 1st - Cason Finley & Carlos Lopez, 2nd - Fernando Saldana & Timothy Schultz, 3rd - Tanner Sherrill.

2nd grade Boys Club: 1st - Travis Hodge & Joel Lopez, 2nd - Travis McDowell, 3rd - Conrad Curry & Mason Fletcher.

3rd grade Boys Club: 1st - Sheldon Atwood & Crispin Borunda; 2nd - Brad Clawson & Justin Horton, 3rd - Matt Messer & Steve Salazar.

4th grade Boys Club: 1st - Chris Abernathy & Cass Cooper, 2nd - Michael Dillard & David Parker.

5th grade Boys Club: 1st - Carlos Borunda & Chris Clawson, 2nd - Ramon Magallanes & TJ Sherrill.

6th grade Boys Club: 1st - Hunter Bevell & Dustin Hodge, 2nd - Eric Lopez & Luis Rodriguez; 3rd - Eric Munoz & Dan Villegas.

The second event featured a father-son competition on a slalom course with the fathers (or big brothers or leaders) pushing

the boys through the slalom course. The slalom course results were:

1st grade Boys Club: 1st - Cason Finley, 2nd - Fernando Saldana, 3rd - Tanner Sherrill.

2nd grade Boys Club: 1st - Travis Hodge, 2nd - Joel Lopez, 3rd - Conrad Curry.

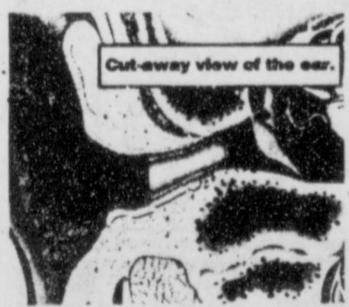
3rd grade Boys Club: 1st - Matt Messer; 2nd - Trey Ybarra; 3rd - Crispin Borunda

4th grade Boys Club: 1st - Michael Dillard, 2nd - Chris Abernathy, 3rd - Cass Cooper.

5th grade Boys Club: 1st - Chris Clawson; 2nd - Ramon Magallanes; 3rd - Carlos Borunda.

6th grade Boys Club: 1st - Hunter Bevell; 2nd - Eric Lopez, 3rd - Dustin Hodge.

A great time was had by all. The next Gruver Ezra Boys Club special event will focus on taking Thanksgiving favors to the elderly and shut-ins in the community. The Gruver Boys clubs are open to all boys, 1 - 6th grades with no costs to the parents. The Boys Clubs at First Baptist Church on Wednesday at 5:30 pm. Enroll your boy in the club next week!



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Among The Neighbors

meaning of your word-Loogie?

by Helen Fisher

An announcement of special significance - the arrival of one who may change the course of history. Zack Karson Fisher was born at High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo on Armistice day, November 11, 1996 at 2:30 a.m.

He weighed 8 pounds, and was 21 inches long.

Claiming the honor for his arrival are parents, Cara and Kevin Fisher, of Memphis. Grandparents are Texie Ann and Zack B. Fisher, of Memphis; Cynthia McDaniel of Encinitas, California; Dr. James and Nikki McDaniel, of Abilene. Great grandparents are Ona and Jack Patterson, of Bovina; Harry Barkley, of Memphis and Helen Fisher, of Spearman.

Zack Karson Fisher is the 4th generation Zack Fisher, and the most handsome, and possibly the smartest---(infant prodigies are those with the most imaginative grandparents).

Well, the little fellow will not be measured by what his ancestors were or did, but by what he inspires his descendants to do or be, and his Christian heritage will be passed on through him.

It is always difficult to quell rumors or to trace the source, and no where are there more rumors than relating to law enforcement.

Immediately after the tragic death of Chuck Smith recently, while in custody, Sheriff McFarlin, on his own initiative, requested the Texas Rangers to come to Spearman to investigate. No enforcement agency investigates its internal incidents.

Since then the rumors have been rampant regarding the reasons and results of this notification.

The report of the Texas Rangers will be presented to the Grand Jury.

The Generation Y issue of the Amarillo News quotes Casey Villines, Freshman in Spearman High, in his opinion of the disgraceful spitting incident in the major league playoffs. His statement was graphic but justified.

Say, Casey, what is the

Helen Prachar spent Saturday in Springfield, Colorado to attend the 50th wedding anniversary of her brother, Cecil and Lomae George.

Other family members enjoying the occasion with her were Patty and D.A. Cator, Nelva Snow, and Joline Thompson of Gruver.

Margaret and Robert Novak had their daughters join them for a family gathering at Kenton recently. The Novaks went on Monday and the others joined them on Thursday and stayed thru Saturday.

The daughters, all formerly of Spearman, were Patricia Gabriel of Chicago, Mary Ellen and Larry Sager of Balco, and Sharon and Cliff David of San Antonio. Patricia came by Pampa and brought Carol Brown with her, as husband Monty Gabriel had business in Colorado.

Mary Ellen and Larry had been harvesting in South Dakota but returned for the occasion.

A granddaughter, Lisa Novak Barbee and her husband John of Dublin, Texas came also.

On the return trip, the Gabriels went by Weatherford to visit her son who is a doctor there.

Ann Sanders returned on Wednesday from Littleton, Colorado. She flew to Colorado Springs the previous week to visit her sister, Dr. Mary Burnett, who lives in Littleton.

The sisters are avid "quilters" and enjoyed shopping for items connected with it, as well as doing some quilting. They did take a quilting recess long enough to visit Mary's son who lives in Boulder.

Bryson Fuller, of Dumas, age 6, won 1st place in the Borger Classic Wrestling Match in the Rookie Division. Bryson is the grandson of Charles and Joanne Eaton of Spearman. He will compete this weekend in Amarillo.

Lynda and Keith Meddock

hosted a family birthday dinner for Diane Close on Sunday in their home in Waka.

Lynda's sons, Roger and Diane Close and children and Danny and Tanya Close and children were the guests. They all live in Spearman.

The obituaries in the Monday Amarillo News listed that of Virginia King Allen, 88, who died on November 9th. Interment was Tuesday in Ochiltree Cemetery. Mrs. Allen was a retired professor of West Texas University, and a former Spearman High School teacher. She was the wife of the late Frank Allen.

Of interest to all readers of local paper are the local items of Morse and Gruver. The columns-Gruver Grapevine by Harletta Carthel, Gruver and Morse Morsels by Mildred Lewis are well-written and informative.

Carolyn and Jimmy McLeod spent a very pleasant week-end in Stillwater, Oklahoma where their son Cody is in Oklahoma State University. Their daughter Sandy and Mike Pearson with son Carson accompanied them. All enjoyed the O.S.U. vs O.U. ballgame-except seven month old Carson, who never did quite understand what all the noise and commotion was about.

Cody is enjoying his freshman year at the university, and doing well. Helping in his adjustment is

his roommate, Martin Sanders also of Spearman.

Carl and Janeen Baumgardner attended the Texas University versus Texas Tech football game at Lubbock last week-end. They are long time Longhorn supporters and took their daughter, Teena, and friend, Nick Renteria, with them to help root for Texas U. Both are students at West Texas in Canyon, and judging by the game results, their support was quite effective.

Linn Gibner drove down from Portland, Oregon, to visit his parents, Lois and Woodrow Gibner for several days. He arrived after a pleasant trip down with open weather all the way.

Community appreciation is due all those who were responsible for the impressive and informative Veteran's Day program at the varsity gym on Monday. This includes those organizations who sponsored the program; to the choirs and the bands, to others who were on the program with Bob Izzard; to the First National Bank who sponsored the radio broadcast, and to Station KRDF, George and Dwayne for broadcasting it.

Special thanks go to Harry and Hazel Stumpf for donating the new flag in front of the Junior High school building.

Above all, appreciation to the veterans on whose behalf the day is dedicated.

District 4-H Round-Up Held

Panhandle 4-H'ers from 19 of the twenty-one counties in Extension Panhandle District I competed in District 4-H Roundup November 2 in Amarillo.

About 233 boys and girls competed in the event, which included 27 contests. Winners received their awards in ceremonies in the auditorium at Randall High School in Amarillo.

Nine youth from Hansford County participated in five

contests. Placing second in Share-the-Fun Dance category were Britta Vanderburg, Dana McLaughlin, and Brooke Thomas. Placing second in Share-the-Fun Junior Musical category were Brianne Stedje and Grace Cobb. Lauree Beth Stedje placed third in Share-the-Fun Senior Musical. Ruth Shields placed third in Natural Resources. Ryan and Lance Lippincott placed third and fourth in the Open Class.

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Gruver Concludes Gridiron Season



Jim Potts fakes a hand-off to Brant Armes.

The Gruver Greyhounds finished their season last Friday night in a match against Claude at the Greyhound Stadium. The 2-3 District 1-1A record did not accurately reflect the heart and courage demonstrated by this young team. Although it was a

rebuilding year for the Greyhounds, they still showed spirit and promise.

The Greyhounds posted 15 first downs against the Mustangs along with 289 total yards. They had no fumbles, but committed three fouls for 15 yards.

The young Greyhound team can be proud of the improvements they made through the season.

Although the team was picked to be fifth in their district, they ended up in third place for the season.

Brant Armes rushed for 1094 yards for the season, more than any other Greyhound player since 1984.

Seniors leaving this year are Valerian Pessoe, Scott Stedje, Matt Overbey, James Sursa, Josh Mayhew, John Duncan, Blake Ferguson, Heath Tolleson and Jeb Lee.

by Bob Bort

With the close of the football season, it is time to turn our attention to roundball for 1996-97 for the Hounds and Lady Hounds. Both varsities and both junior varsities got their seasons underway this past Tuesday, November 12, at Dumas.

For the Hounds, returnees senior Josh Mayhew and junior Brant Armes, along with junior Buster McLain, are going to have to carry the team for a while according to Coach Garland, but by January Coach Garland expects the hounds to be a very good team. Dumas made the football playoffs for the first time in 24 years as district champions, but they had only three varsity kids

Hounds/Lady Hounds Begin Basketball

on their football roster that were not on their basketball roster against the Hounds this past Tuesday night. They easily fielded both a varsity and a junior varsity roster.

Coach Steve Myatt is highly optimistic.

For the Lady Hounds, like the Hounds, they will be a much better team in January than at the start. Players like Weslyn Maupin and Amber Murrell are going to have to utilize their skills to help carry the team for a while, but this team has some young talent that is going to fit into the scheme of things fast. The Dumas varsity had all but three of their players still

playing the state volleyball tournament, but they also easily fielded a varsity and a junior varsity team for their matchups with the Gruver ladies. On the Lady Hounds, look out for returnees like Cara Hathaway, Autumn Bateman, and Amy Gillispie. There are several other key members of this team up from the JV, plus even a freshman. They destroyed a fine Borger Lady Bulldogs team in a two hour scrimmage this past Saturday morning at New Greyhound Gym.

The two varsity teams will be playing the Sanford-Fritch Eagles this Friday, November 15, at New Greyhound Gym, beginning at 6 p.m.

Lady Hounds JV (1-0) vs Dumas

Tuesday, November 12, at Dumas: Gruver 5-20-28-32; Dumas 4-14-18-28. 3-pointers- Annie Mayhew. Gruver- Kelley Ogilvie-8, Jennifer Duggan-6, Teresa Crow-4, Annie Mayhew-4, Erika Salmans-3, Sabrina Cookenour-2, Lindy Tolleson-2, amber Roberts-2, Becky Cassidy-1.

Lady Hounds (1-0) vs Dumas

Tuesday, November 12 at Dumas: Gruver 15-29-41-59; Dumas 6-14-27-35; 3-pointers- Janae Watley-3.

Gruver-Weslyn Maupin-16, Janae Watley-13, Amber Murrell-12, Cara Hathaway-9, Autumn Bateman-4, Jill Odom-2, Kathy Slough-2, Amy Gillispie-1.

Synopsis: This was a good opening game for the Lady Hounds. "We cut our turnovers down in the second half, and shot 11-19 from the field (2-2 from 3-

point)," said Coach Steve Myatt after the game. "We were shooting very well. We caused 41 turnovers, and shot 8-8 from the free throw line in the first half. It was a good first game." Janae Watley, only a freshman, contributed greatly in her very first game. "Janae and Cara, both 6', are our two long range shooters," said Coach Myatt.

Hounds JV (0-1) vs Dumas

Tuesday, November 12 at Dumas: Gruver 4-11-17-46; Dumas 21-46-58-72; 3-pointers-Charlie Stavlo, Jason TeBeest. Gruver- Jason TeBeest-11, Charlie Stavlo-10, T.J. McClure-5, Dustin Ross-5, Kevin Harris-4, Matt Watlington-4, Clayton Henson-2, Jeff McClure-2, Jody Robinson-2, Jason May-1.

Hounds (0-1) vs Dumas

Tuesday, November 12, at Dumas: Gruver 16-25-39-47; Dumas 22-42-67-86; 3-pointers- Brant Armes-4, Josh Mayhew-2, Gruver-Brant Armes-15, Josh Mayhew-12, Jim Potts-9, Jared Johnson-5, Buster McLain-4, Keith Cassidy-2.

Synopsis: There is nothing like a class A school playing a very good well-conditioned class AAAA school, especially with the Hounds straight off the football field and into the gym for the first time. "It was a good conditioning game for us," said Coach Tim Garland after the game. "We need to work ourselves into playing shape. This is a good Dumas ball club with just their non-football players." Gruver's schedule is a real killer for a class A school.

1996 SPEARMAN 7TH, 8TH & 9TH BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME	SITE	GIRLS	BOYS
Nov. 14-16	Perryton Tourn.	TBA		9	9
Nov. 18	Canadian	5:00	GT-BH	7, 8, 9	7, 8, 9
Nov. 22	Gruver	5:00	GT-BT	9	9
Nov. 25	Sunray	5:00	GH-BT	7, 8, 9	7, 8, 9
Dec. 2	West Texas	5:00	GT-BH	7, 8, 9	7, 8, 9
Dec. 9	Stratford	5:00	GH-BT	7, 8, 9	7, 8, 9
Dec. 12-14	Spearman Tourn.	TBA		9	9
Dec. 16	Gruver	5:00	GT	7, 8, 9	
Dec. 16	Boys Ranch	5:00	GH-BH	7B, 8B	7, 8, 9
Jan. 6	Canadian	5:00	GH-BT	7, 8, 9	7, 8, 9
Jan. 9-11	Spearman Tourn.	TBA		7, 8, 9	
Jan. 13	Sunray	5:00	GT-BH	7, 8, 9	7, 8, 9
Jan. 20	West Texas	5:00	GH-BT	9	9
Jan. 23-25	Gruver Tourn.	TBA		7, 8	7, 8
Jan. 27	Stratford	5:00	GT-BH	7, 8, 9	7, 8, 9
Jan. 30-Feb. 1	West Texas Tourn.	5:00		9	9
Feb. 3	Gruver	5:00	GH	7, 8, 9	
Feb. 3	Boys Ranch	5:00	GT-BT	7B, 8B	7, 8, 9
Feb. 7	Boys Ranch	6:30	GT	9	

GT =Girls There; GH=Girls Here BT= Boys There; BH= Boys Here

1996 GRUVER 7TH & 8TH BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	7G	7B	8G	8B
Nov. 18	Booker	H	4:00	4:00	5:00	5:00
Nov. 21	Morse	T			5:00	6:00
Nov. 25	Stratford	T	5:00		6:00	
Dec. 2	Canadian	T	5:00		6:00	
Dec. 9	Panhandle	GT,BH	5:00	5:00	6:00	6:00
Dec. 9-11	Spearman Tourn.	T	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA
Jan. 13	Perryton	GH,BT	5:00	5:00	6:00	6:00
Jan. 20	Wheeler	T	4:00	5:00	6:00	7:00
Jan. 23-25	Gruver Tourn.	H	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA
Jan. 27	Guymon	GT,BH	5:00	5:00	6:00	6:00
Feb. 3	Booker	T	4:00	5:00	6:00	7:00
Feb. 3	Morse	H			5:00	6:00

GT =Girls There; GH=Girls Here BT= Boys There; BH= Boys Here

1996 MORSE BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
Nov. 14	Miami	T	6:00
Nov. 21	Gruver	H	5:00
Nov. 25	Miami	H	6:00
Dec. 2	Allison	H	5:00
Dec. 9	St. Andrews	T	5:00
Dec. 9-10	Spearman Tourn.	T	TBA
Jan. 13	Texline	H	5:00
Jan. 20	Hartley	H	6:00
Jan. 27	St. Andrews	H	5:00
Feb. 3	Gruver	T	5:00

The Gruver J.V. Hounds played their last game of the season Thursday night in a losing effort to the Canadian J.V. squad by the final score of 22-20. After suffering a 34-13 loss two weeks ago to the same Canadian team, the Greyhounds were determined to make a better showing in the season finale.

The Hounds received the opening kick-off and returned the ball to their own thirty. Justin Johnson ripped off a sixty-three yard run on the first play from scrimmage but was dragged down from behind on the Canadian seven. Following a short gain on first down, Jared Christian took the ball to pay dirt on a five yard burst up the middle. Dallas Henson ran in the two-point conversion to give the Hounds an early 8-0 lead. The Wildcats were not to be outdone and replied with a sixty yard scoring drive to knot the score at 8-8 as the first quarter ended.

Following outstanding defensive plays by both teams, the Greyhounds surprised Canadian with an 80 yard draw by Bray Armes who rambled the distance for the score. The Greyhounds' pass attempt for two fell inches short and the first-half score stood at: Gruver 14-Canadian 8.

Canadian received the second-half kick-off and executed an outstanding return to the Gruver thirty yard line. On their second play of the third quarter, the Wildcats were able to tie up the game at 14-14. Canadian then gained temporary control of the game by shutting down the Greyhounds' offense for the remainder of the quarter.

In the fourth stanza, Canadian mounted a time consuming drive of

sixty yards to take a 22-14 lead. With three minutes remaining, Dallas Henson hit Daniel Hernandez on a 58 yard pass play to draw the Hounds within two. The extra point attempt failed leaving the Hounds down 22-20. Gruver attempted an on-side kick to regain possession, but Canadian was able to come up with the ball. The desperate Hounds knocked the ball loose from a Wildcat back on second down and recovered the fumble with 2:32 left on the clock. An option keeper by Dallas Henson gave the Greyhounds a first down on the Canadian 15 with two minutes to play. The Hounds dropped a sure touchdown pass in the end-zone on third down and were unable to convert on fourth down giving the ball back to Canadian. The Wildcats were able to run out the clock, but the young Greyhounds gave the Cats a real scare as they fought to the final buzzer.

The Greyhounds finished their season with a 4-3-1 record with all games played against AA and AAA opponents. Their efforts were outstanding and they are to be commended for their success. The future looks bright for the Greyhounds in District 1-A.

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DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	9G	IVB-R	IVG	IVB-B	VG	VB
Nov. 14-16	Perryton JV & 9th Tourn.	T	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA		
Nov. 15	Sanford-Fritch	H					6:00	7:30
Nov. 18	Booker	H		6:00				
Nov. 19	Stratford	H			5:00	5:00	6:30	9:00
Nov. 21-23	Perryton Lions Inv. Tourn.	T						TBA
Nov. 22	Spearman	H	5:00	5:00	6:30	6:30	8:00	
Nov. 25	Stratford	H	7:00					
Nov. 25	Panhandle	T		7:00				
Nov. 26	Borger	T			5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Dec. 2	Canadian	T	7:00					
Dec. 2	Borger	T		6:00				
Dec. 3	Texhoma	T			4:00	5:15	6:30	8:00
Dec. 5-7	Lake Meredith Classic	T					TBA	TBA
Dec. 5-7	Gruver JV Tourn.	H			TBA	TBA		
Dec. 10	Perryton	T			5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Dec. 12-14	Amarillo Kids Inv.	T					TBA	
Dec. 12-14	Spearman JV & 9th Tourn.	T	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA		
Dec. 13	Spearman	T						8:00
Dec. 20	Canadian	H			5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Dec. 26-28	Lubbock Caprock Inv.	T					TBA	
Dec. 31	Sunray	H			1:00	2:30	4:00	5:30
Jan. 2-4	Stratford Inv.	T						TBA
Jan. 7	Claude*	T			4:00	5:15	6:30	8:00
Jan. 10	Shamrock*	H			5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Jan. 13	Perryton (boys there)	H	7:00	7:00				
Jan. 14	Booker*	T			4:00	5:15	6:30	8:00
Jan. 17	Hooker	H			5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Jan. 21	Wheeler*	H	5:15	4:00	4:00	5:15	6:30	8:00
Jan. 24	Shamrock*	T			4:00	5:15	6:30	8:00
Jan. 27	Guymon (girls there)	H	6:00	7:00				
Jan. 28	Booker*	H			5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Jan. 30-31	West Texas 9th Tourn.	T	TBA	TBA				
Jan. 31	Guymon	H			5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Feb. 4	Wheeler*	T	5:15	4:00	4:00	5:15	6:30	8:00
Feb. 7	Claude*	H			5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00

*DISTRICT GAMES

1996 SPEARMAN LYNX/LYNXETTES BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	IVG	IVB	VG	VB
Nov. 14-16	Perryton JV & 9th Tourn.	T	TBA	TBA		
Nov. 15	Borger	T			5:00	
Nov. 19	Wheeler	T	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Nov. 21-23	Perryton Lions Inv. Tourn.	T				TBA
Nov. 22	Gruver	T	6:30	6:30	8:00	
Nov. 26	Guymon	H	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Dec. 3	Panhandle	T	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Dec. 5-7	Miami Tourn.	T			TBA	TBA
Dec. 5-7	Gruver JV Tourn.	T			TBA	TBA
Dec. 10	Sanford-Fritch	T	7:30	6:00	6:00	7:30
Dec. 12-14	Amarillo Kids Inv.	T			TBA	
Dec. 12-14	Spearman JV & 9th Tourn.	H	TBA	TBA		
Dec. 13	Gruver	H				8:00
Dec. 20	Plainview (in Highland Park)	T			6:30	
Dec. 31	Booker	T	Noon	1:30	3:00	4:30
Jan. 2-4	Canadian Tourn.	T			TBA	TBA
Jan. 7	Canadian*	H	5:00	5:00	6:00	7:30
Jan. 10	Sunray*	T	5:00	5:00	6:00	7:30
Jan. 14	West Texas*	H	5:00	5:00	6:00	7:30
Jan. 17	Stratford*	T	5:00	5:00	6:00	7:30
Jan. 21	Boys Ranch*	H	6:00	5:00	6:00	7:30
Jan. 24	Canadian	T	5:00	5:00	6:00	7:30
Jan. 28	Sunray*	H	5:00	5:00	6:00	7:30
Jan. 31	West Texas*	T	5:00	5:00	6:00	7:30
Feb. 4	Stratford*	H	5:00	5:00	6:00	7:30
Feb. 7	Guymon	T	6:00		7:30	
Feb. 7	Boys Ranch*	T		5:00		7:30

*DISTRICT GAMES

Morse Morsels

by Mildred Lewis

The girls scores were 12-18, 7th, 8th & 9th grade Pringle-Morse students had a basketball tournament at Hartley. Go Cougars, Go.

The girls played at 4 p.m. followed by the boys game on Thursday. Friday they start at 4 p.m. and Saturday at 1 p.m.

School will be out Wednesday the 27th of November for Thanksgiving. They will also have Thursday and Friday off.

Mrs. Barnhart and her husband Richard went to Dallas Friday. They came back by Amarillo for a Region 16 meeting on Monday.

Morse has a new Volunteer Fire Chief; Lynn Davis checked out, and Gary Urban will be it.

We were all proud for the safety of Robin Wilson, and that he was not hurt in the explosion of the fertilizer plant in Borger.

Hud Yearby went back for treatment this week at the hospital.

A birthday lunch was given for Tom Ben Kirk and Beth Dortch. They both had a birthday on November 6, Tom Ben was 18 years old.

Those present were the Kirk's, Dortch's, Urban's, and Tom Ben's friend, Brooke.

Our Pringle-Morse students went to Guymon, Oklahoma, this past week for the 5 State Honor Band. Jason Shoulders, Donnie Davis, Evan Schmidt, Kayce Howe, and Mikala Reisinger won the honor. Deanna Tarango and Desiree Wattier were alternates. Keep the good work up; they get a congratulations.

Our Pringle-Morse Basketball teams won 2nd and 3rd (girls 3rd and boys 2nd). The boys played Felt, Oklahoma; we won 42-38. We played Texline, 41-36, and won that. Played Hartley - our boys had a heartbreaker 49-53. Our team had 20 points in the first quarter in the game with Hartley.

The girls scores were 12-18, favor our girls over Felt, Oklahoma. The girls played Texline, lost 25-33.

Then Saturday our girls played Hartley, lost 24-46 but, they sure have improved a lot.

Kayce Howe won outstanding player for Pringle-Morse in this tournament at Hartley last week.

Hugo Hernandez and Jason Shoulder got outstanding players for the boys all tournament.

Our first Cougar home ballgame will be November 21st beginning at 5 p.m. against Gruver. Come on out and see the games.

They play November 14th at Miami at 6 p.m.

I went up to the school and Lorie Hiser was celebrating her 21st birthday. She had a beautiful rose that Faye Speck had given her. Congratulations to Lorie.

Mrs. Barnhart was working on the TIF Grant for our Morse School.

Our school will have a book fair November 19th and 20th at 6:30 p.m.

P.T.A. will meet November 18th at 7 p.m. The program will be *Understanding the TASS Public Hearing on A E I S.*

Dinner for community and parents Thanksgiving will be November 21st, 11:45 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Our church Sunday had nearly full house. We are having seven weeks of prayer on Wednesday evenings at 7 p.m. We are in week four. The Deacons will lead us in prayer for revival and spiritual awakening.

We will be helping with the Christmas giving for the Amarillo prison units. This year we will go into the Neal Unit on December 7th, Clements Unit on December 14th to do Christmas packs, and Sunday December 15 for Expiring God Graduation and Worship.

Our friends dinner will be Saturday, November 23 at 6 p.m. Bring a friend and enjoy the fellowship.

We are having a pounding for the Panhandle Crisis Center of Perryton. See if you may have something to donate.

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The Gruver Grapevine

by Harletta Carthel

Gruver High School will present the play Pygmalion on Sunday, November 24th., at 3 p.m. in the Gruver High School Auditorium. Admission to the play will be \$4 for adults and \$2 for students.

Mark and Annette McCloy have been in Springfield, Missouri this past week to attend the bedside of Mark's father, Wilson McCloy who underwent surgery on Tuesday.

Joni Hart, Oklahoma State University freshman, was recently initiated into Kappa Alpha Theta sorority. John and Marilyn Hart were in attendance at Joni's pledge presentation earlier in the school year. Tisha Ralston of Gruver and Jill Lusby of Spearman are also members of the sorority.

A host of Gruverites were in Lubbock this past weekend for the Texas/Texas Tech football game. Present were J.W. and Rhonda Ward, Tony and Lynetta Shapley, Diane and Mike McLain, Randy and Diane Brown, Chad and Julie Logsdon, J.J. and Donna Renteria, Wayne and Lou Garrett, and Marian and David Tomlinson. Also making the trip were University of Texas student Janyth Hart, Tarleton student Rex Ralston, and West Texas A&M students Eric Wright, Justin Carthel, and Angela Overbey.

Tara Shapley's 19th birthday was also celebrated in Lubbock on Saturday. Gathering for the occasion were Bart and Shelley Shapley of Dallas, Chris Tomlinson of Fort Benning, Georgia, Chris Tomlinson of Lubbock, and Marian and David Tomlinson.

Nine GHS senior football players were saluted before the Hound's last game of the season Friday night/ They included John Duncan, Josh Mayhew, Blake Ferguson, Valerian Pessoa, Scott Stedje, Matt Overbey, Heath Tolleson, Jeb Lee, and James Sursa. Fans will be glad to know that Heath Tolleson, who was injured in the game, received a good report and was able to begin Houndball practice on Monday.

Another special part of the final football game was the GJH seventh grade band performing with the award-winning GHS Band for a brilliant halftime show.

In addition to the Tech game, many other Gruverites took the opportunity to visit their children in college. Pat Dawson journeyed to Oklahoma State University where son Jace is a student. The Doug Frick's traveled to West Texas A&M's football game where son Max is a part of the school's football program Coyt Tigrett of Spearman is also on the WTAMU roster. Peggy, Bonnie, and Max Frick recently visited Aaron Frick at Sam Houston State University in Huntsville. The Dan Carthels were also on hand at McMurry University to see daughter Kiki in the Lady Indians first

basketball scrimmage

A hearty welcome home is extended to Brian and Suzanne (Hart) Frazier and daughters who recently moved from Colorado. The Fraziers reside 10 miles south of Spearman

The Gruver Golden Agers met for a turkey dinner on Monday. The group will meet again on November 24th. at 11 a.m.

The Oslo Youth Group will host a stew dinner after services on Sunday morning. Donations will be accepted. There will also be a dessert auction following the dinner. Everyone is welcome.

Ben Arthur, who suffered a fall and was in Hansford Hospital, is doing well. Agnes Hoel, Q.D. Bevell, and True Leatherman are all recuperating at their homes

Gruver FFA garnered several awards in competition this past weekend. Matt Watlington took third place in the FFA Creed Speaking Contest, the junior chapter conducting team placed fifth, and the senior chapter conducting team received third place.

Superintendent Barry Haenisch has asked for the cooperation of parents during home basketball games. Parents are asked to be mindful of their children near the glass doors of the trophy cases as there is a potential for danger. Fans should be mindful of the rules of District 2-A which prohibit the forming of victory lines, the use of artificial or amplified noises makers, and the hanging of temporary signs. Fans are also asked not to wear street shoes on the gym floor since they may harm the floor's finish and to deposit trash in the receptacles provided. Parents should also be aware that there is no supervision for children outside the gym. As always, Gruver fans should exhibit good sportsmanship and hospitality.



(Back Row, L-R) Brianne Stedje, Lauree Beth Stedje, Ruth Shields, Audrey Winegarner; (Front Row, L-R) Dana McLaughlin, Britta Vanderburg, Abby Winegarner

HC 4-H Food Show Results

The Hansford County 4-H Food Show was held Saturday, November 9, at the Hansford County Library in Spearman. Young people involved in the 4-H Food & Nutrition project were eligible to compete.

Participants prepared a dish in one of four categories: Main Dish,

Fruits & Vegetables, Breads & Cereals or Snacks & Desserts.

They also answered questions concerning the preparation and nutritional value of the dish they prepared.

Dana McLaughlin, Britta Vanderburg, Brianne Stedje and Abby Winegarner are now eligible to compete in the Junior Division at the District Show. Audrey Winegarner will compete in Intermediate and Lauree Beth Stedje and Ruth Shields will compete in the Senior Division of the District Show December 14 in Amarillo.

Judges for the local event were Penny Ralston and Nelle Evans of Gruver.

GJH Class Officers

by Harletta Carthel

Class officers were recently elected at Gruver Junior High following a study of the election process.

Chosen to head the fifth grade were co-presidents Courtney Goad and Lana Lippencott and secretary/treasurer Teal Armes.

Sixth grade officers include president, Amy Watley; vice-president, Hunter Bevell; and secretary/treasurer, Alicia Alvarez.

The seventh grade selected Arnoldo Borunda, president; Beth Yanke, vice-president; and Dallas Robinson, secretary/treasurer.

Brooke Salmans was voted president of eighth grade while John Lopez was chosen vice-president; and Holly Hart, secretary/treasurer.

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Gruver JH Fell To Mustangs

by Harletta Carthel

In a hard-fought football game, the Gruver Junior High Hounds fell to the Claude Mustangs 14-6.

The Mustangs, who opened the scoring in their second down of the night, might have thought they would have an easy time. This idea was quickly dispelled when a tough Hound defense stopped Claude's PAT attempt with the aid of a slamming tackle by Bradley Duncan and then dug in to allow the Mustangs only one more touchdown.

The Gruver score came on a 2 yard plunge up the middle by Cory Schneider. The Hounds

threatened to tie up the game late in the four quarter following several good runs, but their hopes were dashed when a fourth down attempt on the Mustang 30 yard line was stopped two foot short of a first down.

In a "fifth quarter," the seventh grade Hounds overcame Claude's seventh grade 6-0. Gruver's touchdown resulted from an end-around play by Kade Carthel.

Both the Gruver seventh and eighth grade teams have been coached this season by Tim Garland.

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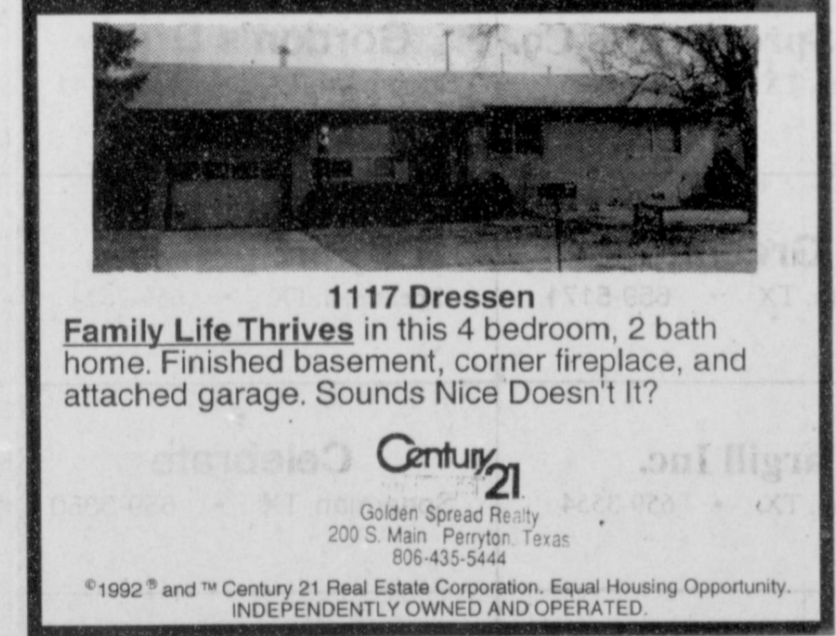
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Mike Schnell (Right) presents the "Banking Is..." program to Jeff Rowland and Verna Strawn, of Spearman High School.

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In the past, people have had to go to banks as customers to learn about banking. Times have changed—teachers and a local bank are joining forces to teach banking and basic financial skills to the young adults in this community.

The "Banking Is..." supplemental materials were presented by Mike Schnell, President of First State Bank as a public service to Mr. Jeff Rowland and Mrs. Verna Strawn on behalf of the students at Spearman High School on November 1, 1996.

Mike Schnell said the "Banking Is..." program provides students with the survival skills in financial management they will need and use throughout their lives. Writing checks, constructing a budget, applying for loans, computing interest and using other bank services are operations many adults take for granted; they have performed these functions most of their lives. However, these activities must be learned.

Many adults learned banking by trial and error with no formal training; however, in today's world of advancing technology, this is no longer a satisfactory method. Students should have this knowledge upon high school graduation, but statistics show that less than 85% of high school graduates can properly write a

check. First State Bank hopes their sponsorship of these classroom study materials will give students a more thorough and systematic understanding of these basic banking activities, the new banking services that are available and the management of their own financial responsibilities. In addition to the student-teacher classroom study, Mike Schnell pointed out that a bank representative is available to conduct follow-up classroom question and answer sessions and/or the students may tour the bank to see its operations.

First State Bank strongly believes that as students become more confident in their knowledge and practice of financial management, they will also become better educated consumers who will take their places in the financial community.

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Hansford County Commissioners' Court will receive bids until 4:00 p.m. on Friday, November 22, 1996 on the sale of the Hansford County, Precinct #1 Maintenance Barn, OL 10, 135'x345'. Bids will be opened on Monday, November 25, 1996 at the regular Commissioner's Court meeting, beginning at 10:00 a.m.

The Court reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Jim D. Brown
Hansford County Judge
3(11-7-96)B

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR OIL AND GAS WASTE DISPOSAL WELL PERMIT

Turner Transportation, P.O. Box 66, Canadian, Texas 79014 is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to dispose of produced salt water or other oil and gas waste by well injection into a porous formation not productive of oil or gas.

The applicant proposes to dispose of oil and gas waste into the Brown Dolomite Formation, Guthrie Well Number 1. The proposed disposal well is located 2 Miles Northwest of Spearman, Texas in the Spearman, NW (Douglas) Field, in Hansford County, Texas. The waste water will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 3150 to 4100 feet.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Texas Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512/463-6792).

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REQUEST FOR BIDS ON TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for 712.751 km of seal coat at various locations in IH 40, FM 759, FM 1453, FM 48, FM 293, FM 291, FM 1268, FM 1454, FM 2161, FM 2373, FM 2473, FM 2386, FM 2711, FM 3004, RM 3260, BI 40-

Public Notice

Plans and specifications, including minimum wage rates as provided by Law, are available for inspection at the office of Joe Chappell, Area Engineer, Amarillo, Texas, and at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction and Maintenance Division, 200 East Riverside Drive, Austin, Texas 78704-1205. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder.

The Texas Department of Transportation hereby notifies all bidders that it will insure that bidders will not be discriminated against on the ground of race, color, sex or national origin, in having full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation, and in consideration for an award.

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NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF FREELAND OWEN BARTZ

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of FREELAND OWEN BARTZ were issued on November 4, 1996, in Cause No. 2174, pending in the County court of Hansford County, Texas, to CHARLES OWEN BARTZ. The residence of such Executor is Spearman, Texas. The post office address is 222 S. Brandt, Spearman, Texas 79081.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

Dated the 4th day of November, 1996.

Cecil R. Biggers
Attorney for Estate of
FREELAND OWEN BARTZ,
Deceased
1(11-14-96)B

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF OLA DESSIE JACKSON

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of OLA DESSIE JACKSON were issued on October 29, 1996, in Cause No. 2171, pending in the County Court of Hansford County, Texas, to MERRY GALE JACKSON SPARKS.

The residence of such Executor is Gruver, Texas. The post office address is P.O. Box 562, Gruver, Texas 79040.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

Dated the 29th day of October, 1996.

Cecil R. Biggers
attorney for Estate of
OLA DESSIE JACKSON,
Deceased
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NOTICE

The Spearman Housing Authority is now taking applications for potential residents. Eligible applicants will be placed on a waiting list. The family size and income guidelines are as follows:

FAMILY SIZE	FAMILY INCOME
1 Person	less than \$19,700
2 Person	less than \$22,550
3 Person	less than \$25,350
4 Person	less than \$28,150
5 Person	less than \$30,400
6 Person	less than \$32,650
7 Person	less than \$34,900
8 Person	less than \$37,150

Rent is based on family income minus allowances for elderly occupants, children and allowances for gas and electric utilities. For more information, contact Gary Ellsworth at Spearman City Hall by calling 659-2524. Spearman Housing Authority does not discriminate based on race, religion, sex, age, disability, national origin, or other classification protected by federal and state laws.

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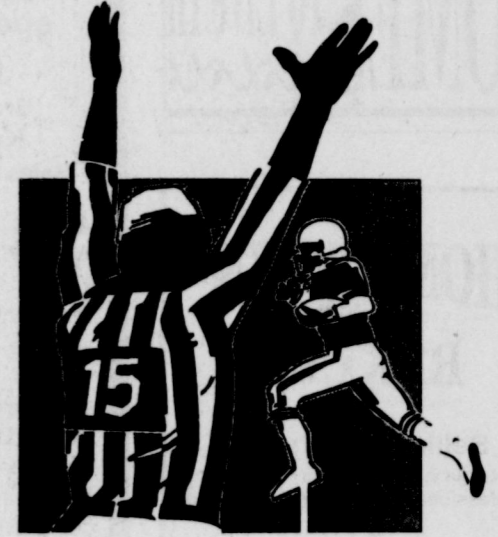
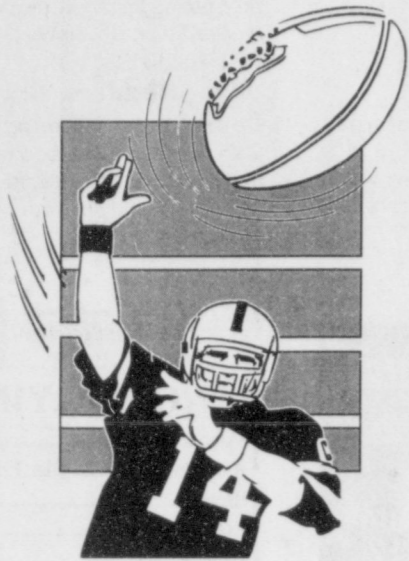
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